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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Boden, et al.)	
)	Group Art Unit: 1626
Serial No.:	09/682,286)	
)	Before the Examiner:
Filed:	August 14, 2001)	Shameem
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For:	METHOD AND APPARATUS)	
	FOR PREPARING A DIALKYL)	
	CARBONATE AND ITS USE IN)	
	THE PREPARATION OF DIARYL)	
	CARBOANTES AND POLYCARBOANTES))	

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

STATUS REQUEST

Sir:

Please advise as to the status of the above-identified application. As of September 16, 2004 this application was under Suspension for a Period of Six Months due to a potential interference. Our records indicate that the six month date would have been March 16, 2005. As such we request notification regarding the status of the above mentioned application.

If there are any charges with respect to this Status Request or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Respectfully submitted,

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